HUSBAND HANKS, Ephraim Knowlton (Rancher)

Born 21 Mar 1826 Place Madison, Lake, Ohio
Chr. Place
Marr. 17 Mar 1856 Div Place Salt Lake City, S-Lk, Utah
Died 9 June 1896 Place Hanks Floral Ranch, Wayne, Utah
Bur. 11 June 1896 Place Cainville, Wayne, Utah
HUSBAND'S FATHER HANKS, Benjamin 1788 HUSBAND'S MOTHER KNOWLTON, Martha 1794
HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES (1) 22 Sep 1848, DECKER, Harriet Amelia. (3) 27 Mar 1856, CAPENER, Jane Maria (sld 4 Mar 1858 S L.)
(4) 6 Apr 1862, READ, Thisbe Quilley (Sld 6 Apr 1862 SL)

WIFE (2) HARDY, Hannah

Born 9 Oct 1839 Place Bradford, Essex, Mssc.
Chr. Place
Died Place
Bur. Place
WIFE'S FATHER WIFE'S MOTHER
WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS

Husband HANKS, Ephraim Knowlton 1826
Wife (2) HARDY, Hannah

Ward Examiners: 1. S. M. Bohn 2. S. B. Kelsey
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FAMILY REPRESENTATIVE
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RELATION OF F.R. TO HUSBAND	RELATION OF F.R. TO WIFE
g dau	no rel.

TEMPLE ORDINANCE DATA

	BAPTIZED (DATE)	ENDOWED (DATE)	SEALED (Date & Temple) WIFE TO HUSBAND
HUSBAND	1845	Jan 1846	EH 17 Mar 1856
WIFE		17 Mar 1856	//////////

SEX M F	CHILDREN List Each Child (Whether Living or Dead) in Order of Birth SURNAME (CAPITALIZED) GIVEN NAMES	WHEN BORN DAY	MONTH	YEAR	WHERE BORN TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE TO WHOM	WHEN DIED DAY	MONTH	YEAR	SEALED (Date & Temple) CHILDREN TO PARENTS
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EPHRAIM KNOWLTON HANKS

Ephraim Knowlton Hanks, was born March 21, 1826 at Madison, Lake County, Ohio, the son of Benjamin Hanks and Martha Knowlton. He was the sixth of twelve children.

In early years he was known as the "Little Blacksmith," and his cheerful disposition won him many friends.

After serving three years in the U.S. Navy, he joined the Mormon Church and was one of the first to volunteer for the Mormon Battalion. He came to Utah July 29, 1847 with the James Brown Contingent, Mormon Battalion, Company D.

He married Harriet Amelia Decker (Little), Sept. 22, 1848, who was born March 13, 1826, and came to Utah October 5, 1847. Their children: Ephraim Marcelles b. June 21, 1849; Marcia Amelia b. July 3,

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1851; O. Alvarus b. Sept. 15, 1853; Harriett Page, b. Feb. 25, 1856; Clara Vilate b. July 10, 1858; Charles Decker, b. Dec. 22, 1860; Perry Isaac b. Jan. 20, 1863.

Harriett Amelia Decker was the widow of Edwin S. Little who died shortly after leav-

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horse, lariat and gun, he provided much needed food for the pioneers. He crossed over plains and mountains more than 50 times delivering mail, each trip taking from 40 to 90 days.

Ephraim was blessed with the power of healing and this talent increased after he was ordained a patriarch. Pres. Brigham Young said, "he was always ready to lay down his own life for the authorities of the Church." At the time of his death, June 9, 1896, he was serving as 1st counselor to Bishop Henry Giles of Blue Valley Ward, Wayne County. Burial took place in Cainesville, Utah.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Divorce date from Church Historians Office, Salt Lake City, Utah

Family group sheet from the book, "Descendants of Ephraim Knowlton HANKS", Page 300. Compiled by: Golden and Teton Hanks JACKMAN Provo, Utah, 1959

NECESSARY EXPLANATIONS

Hannah and Ephraim never lived together. She recieved a Temple divorce, 20 May 1856.
Ephraim Hanks first wife Harriet Decker is sealed to her first husband Edwin Sobieski Little in the Nauvoo

NAMES: WATSON, John Henry
PLACES: Sharon, Windsr, Vt
ENTER ALL DATA IN THIS ORDER:
DATES: 14 Apr 1794
To indicate that a child is an ancestor of the family representative, place an "X" behind the number pertaining to that child.

FAMILY GROUP RECORD